of Rs. 2324.57 crore. Further, enquries in cases involving large cash withdrawals from banks under BCTT have led to detection of unaccounted income.

Different rate of customs duty on import of electronic products

2632. SHRI RAJ KUMAR DHOOT: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there are different rates of customs duties for import of electronic products and their components;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and

(c) how anomalies arising out of different rates of custom duties are proposed to be sorted out?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI S.S. PALANIMANICKAM): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Electronic products and their components in general attract peak rate of 12.5% basic customs duty. To encourage indigenous manufacturing industry, concessional rates of nil/5% basic customs duty has been allowed on a number of raw materials and inputs of electronic products. Goods covered under Information Technology Agreement (ITA) along with their inputs and raw materials attract nil basic customs duty.

The duty structure has been decided by the Government after due consideration of the concerns of the domestic industry and in consultation with the Department of Information Technology and Communications.

(c) Government has constituted a Committee under the Chairmanship of Shri A. Hoda, Member Planning Commission to review the problems of Inverted Duty Structure and suggest ways and means of addressing the problems. The Committee is expected to complete its work by 07.09.2006.

Audit of PFRDA

†2633. SHRIMATI MAYA SINGH: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Pension Fund Regulatory Development Authority (PFRDA) keeps the account of pensions of about 2-3 crore employees;

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

(b) whether any audit of working of the said institute has been carried out; and

(c) if so, by when and the details of the report of the same?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL): (a) No, Sir. The Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority (PFRDA) is neither required to keep the accounts of pension contributions of any employee as per the provisions of the PFRDA Bill, 2005 nor does it keep any such accounts.

(b) and (c) PFRDA is an autonomous body meeting its expenses out of grants-in-aid received from the Government. The first annual accounts of PFRDA for the financial year 2005-06 have already been forwarded to the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for audit.

Tax payers details on net

2634. SHRI RAVULA CHANDRA SEKAR REDDY: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Income Tax Department has any proposal to put the details of the tax payers on the net;

(b) if so, the details worked out so far; and

(c) what is the aim and objective of this proposal?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI S.S. PALANIMANICKAM): (a) There is no proposal for making the details of taxpayers available for public viewing by putting such details on any web-site or in any other manner.

(b) and (c) Do not arise in view of reply to para (a) above.

Scheduled Bank status to UCBs in Uttaranchal

2635. SHRI KAMAL AKHTAR: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the names of Urban Co-operative Banks in Uttaranchal which fulfilled norms fixed by RBI as it existed in 2001, for granting Scheduled Bank status;

(b) the names of UCBs in Uttaranchal which applied to RBI for granting Scheduled Bank status in 2001;